

NEW: TAILS THE CRIME STOPPER, COMES A CROPPER!

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# SONIC

## THE COMIC

NEW  
SONIC  
STORY

# BIG TROUBLE

A  
MALL  
WORLD!

Plus

ED  
NOT  
N-UP!

NUCKLES  
ELEMENTAL



## SUPER SONIC DOUBLE!

- NERVE SHREDDING  
NIGHTMARE' CONCLUSIONS!
- BEWITCHING READERS' ART!



THE FLOATING ISLAND  
HOME OF A CERTAIN  
RED ECHIDNA KNOWN  
AS KNUCKLES.



THE FLOATING  
ISLAND IS SUCH AN  
AMAZING PLACE, SONIC,  
ALL THIS ANCIENT  
TECHNOLOGY IS...

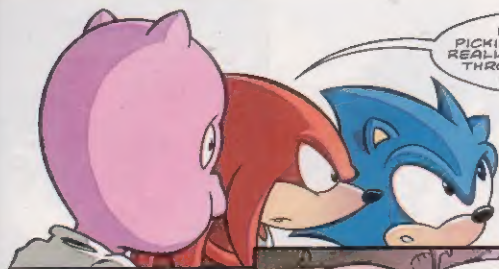
SPARE ME,  
PORKER. I DIDN'T  
COME TO TALK ABOUT  
THE FLOATING ISLAND!  
IT'S THE KINTOBOR  
COMPUTER THAT'S  
GOT ME WORRIED...

PORKER  
LEWIS, DO YOU  
SPEND ALL YOUR  
TIME UPHERE?

IS HE STILL MAL-  
FUNCTIONING?

WELL NOT  
EXACTLY.  
IT'S HARD TO  
EXPLAIN... HE  
JUST DOESN'T  
SEEM  
HIMSELF  
ANYMORE!

I HATE TO  
INTERRUPT, BUT  
SOMETHING JUST  
BREACHED THE ISLAND'S  
FORCEFIELD... SOME-  
THING BIG!



HEY, I'M  
PICKING UP SOMETHING  
REALLY SMALL BREAKING  
THROUGH THE FORCE  
FIELD TOO...

I'M MORE  
WORRIED ABOUT  
THE BIG THING.  
LET'S TAKE A  
LOOK!



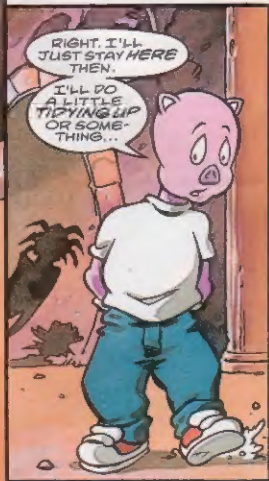
OKAY... I'VE  
FOUND IT!

OH DEAR...  
IT LOOKS REALLY  
DANGEROUS  
OH DEAR ME!



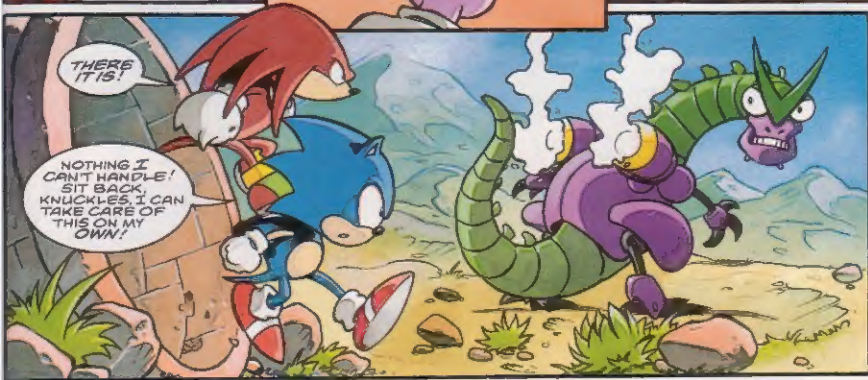
THE ZOOM  
TUBE WILL GET  
US THERE IN  
MINUTES!

DON'T  
WORRY,  
PORKER...  
WE WON'T  
ASK YOU  
TO FIGHT  
IT!



RIGHT, I'LL  
JUST STAY HERE  
THEN.

I'LL DO  
A LITTLE  
TIDYING UP  
OR SOME-  
THING...



THERE  
IT IS!

NOTHING I  
CAN'T HANDLE!  
SIT BACK,  
KNUCKLES, I CAN  
TAKE CARE OF  
THIS ON MY  
OWN!

NOT TRYING TO GET ALL THE GLORY FOR YOURSELF, ARE YOU SONIC?

HEY, YOU'RE JUST LOOKING A LITTLE TIRED... THOUGHT YOU COULD DO WITH A REST!

CRACK

HMMM... HE'S PRETTY TOLIGH!

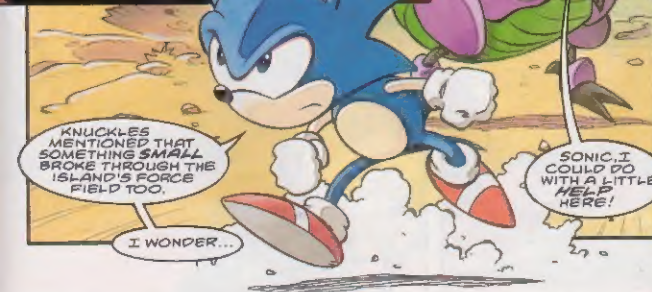
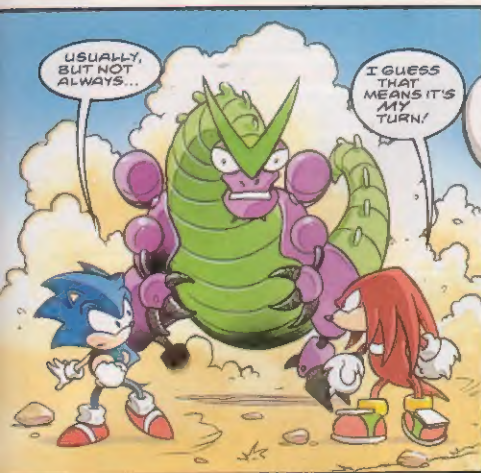
I'VE SEEN WORSE! THE BADNIK HASN'T BEEN BUILT THAT I CAN'T SMASH!

LET ME DEMONSTRATE!

HE'S MOVING SO FAST, I CAN'T EVEN SEE HIM!

THAT WAS YOUR VORTEX ATTACK THING... I'VE SEEN IT BEFORE!

RIGHT... IT USUALLY RIPS BADNIKS APART!



MOMENTS LATER, IN THE  
TUNNELS JUST OUTSIDE  
THE EMERALD CHAMBER...

PORKER!  
HE'S BEEN KNOCKED  
UNCONSCIOUS...

GRIMER AND  
NACK THE WEASEL!  
WHAT ARE THEY  
DOING HERE?

I'VE  
FOUND  
IT! THE  
EXACT SPOT  
WHERE  
DOCTOR  
ROBOTNIK  
VANISHED!

SEE? I TOLD YOU IF WE  
SHRUNK OUR SHIP AND OUR-  
SELVES TO THE SIZE OF A  
SPARROW, THEY'D BE SURE  
TO GO AFTER THE  
BADNIK!

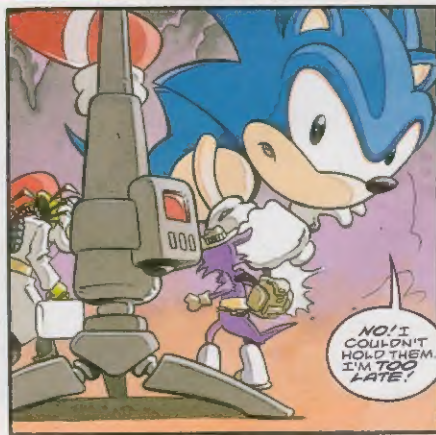
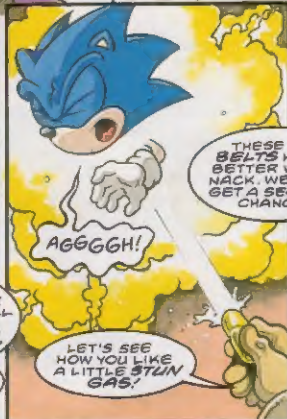
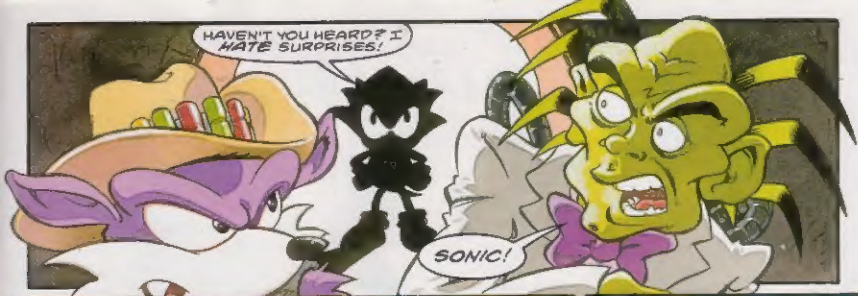
AND  
THAT STUPID  
PIG DIDN'T PUT UP  
MUCH OF A  
FIGHT!

STILL,  
WE'D BETTER  
HURRY!

HAH! BY THE  
TIME SONIC AND  
KNUCKLES GET HERE  
WE'LL HAVE GONE. THEY'LL  
NEVER FIGURE OUT WHAT  
WAS REALLY GOING ON!

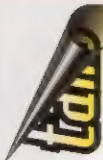
IT WOULD BE  
BEST IF THEY DON'T FIND  
OUT THAT ROBOTNIK WAS  
STILL ALIVE!

I  
DON'T WANT SONIC  
TO KNOW HE WAS JUST  
SHRUNK TO THE SIZE OF AN  
ATOM... I'D LIKE IT TO  
BE A SURPRISE!





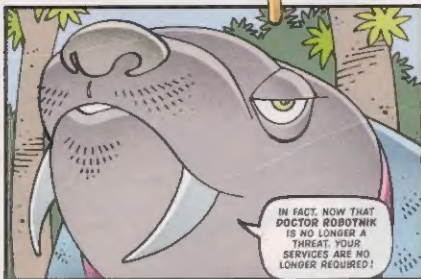
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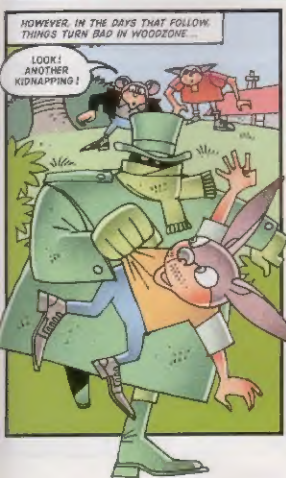
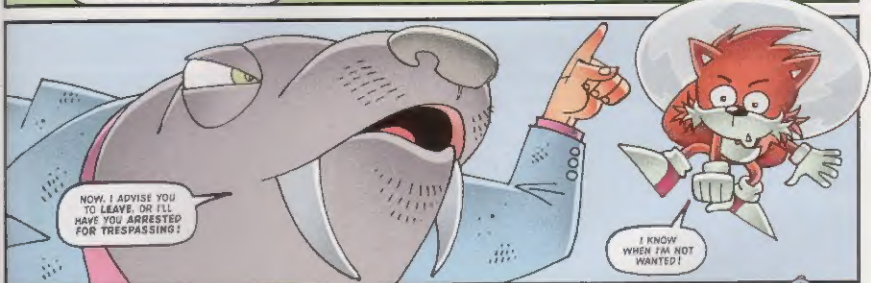


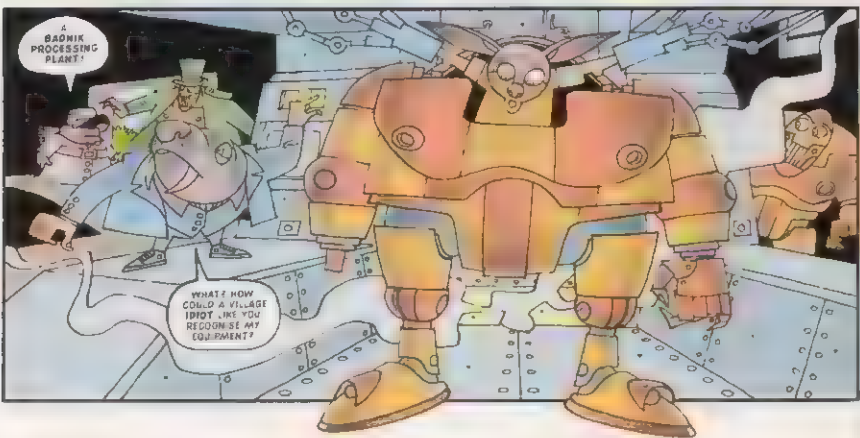
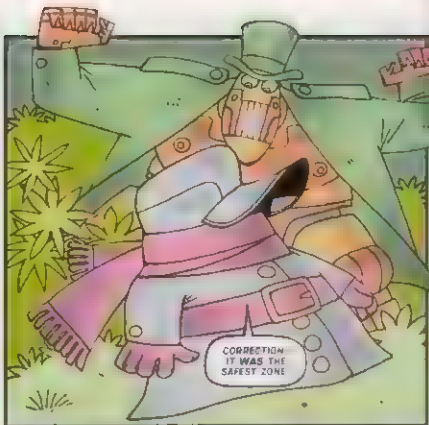
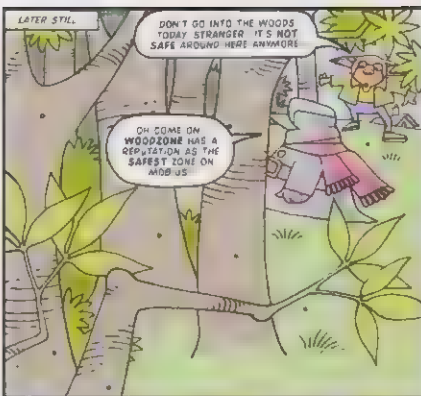
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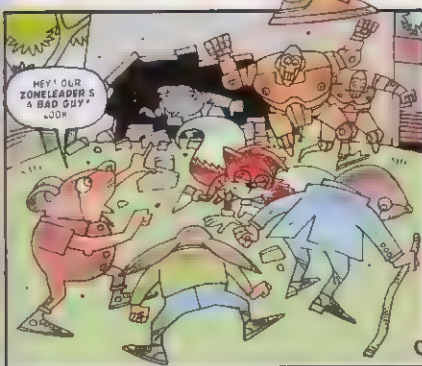
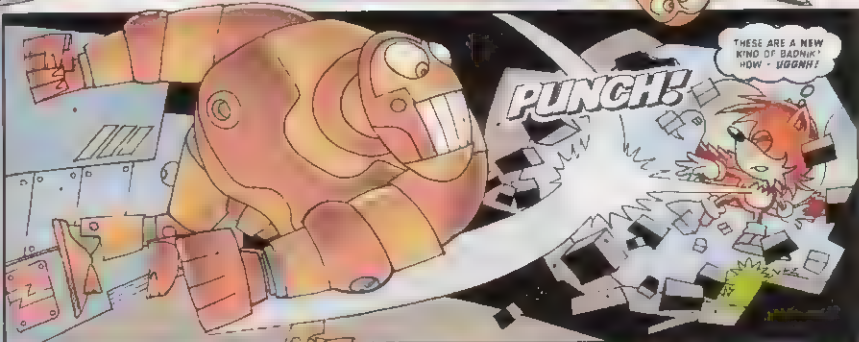
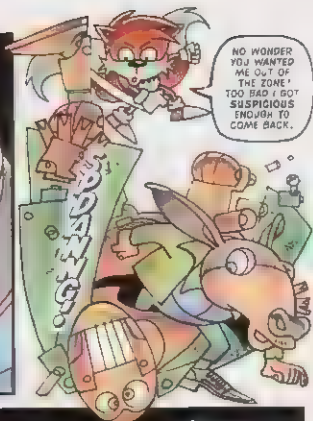
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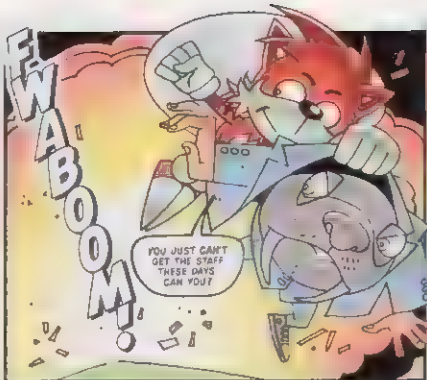
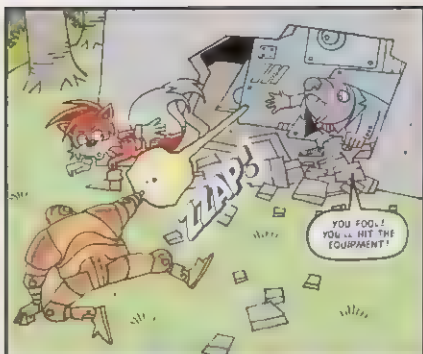
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# SUPER SONIC

## RETURN OF THE NIGHTMARE

SUPER SONIC HAS ONCE AGAIN TURNED EVIL.

THE ONLY THING PREVENTING HIM FROM DESTROYING THE PLANET IS THE MAGICAL POWER OF EBONY. HOWEVER

IT'S NO GOOD, PYJAMAS... I CAN'T MAINTAIN THIS SPELL ANY LONGER!

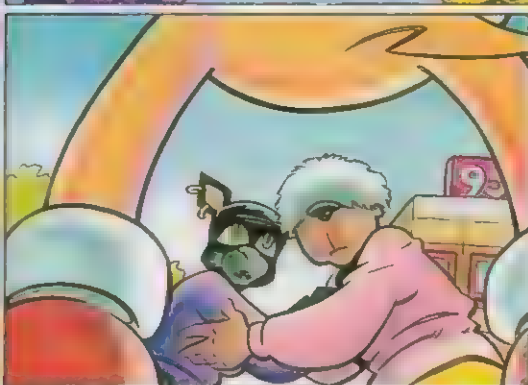
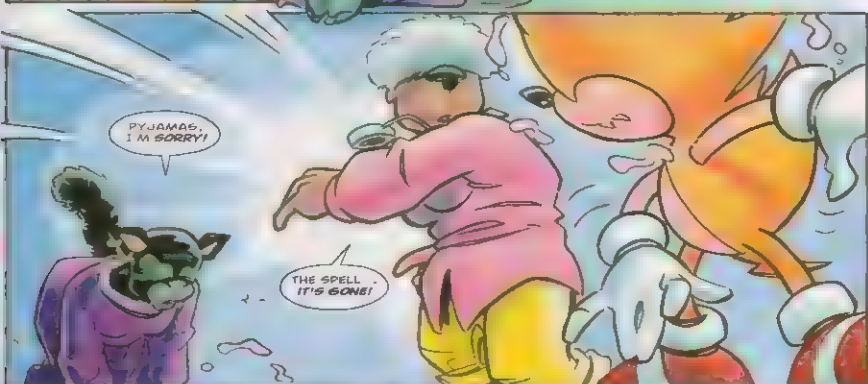
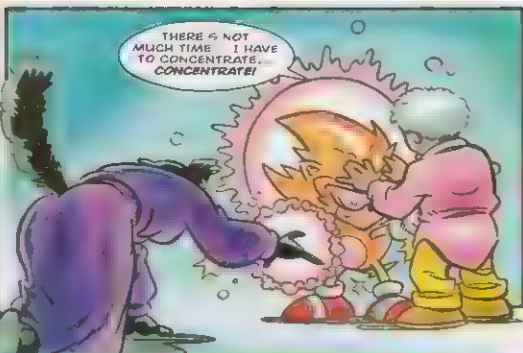
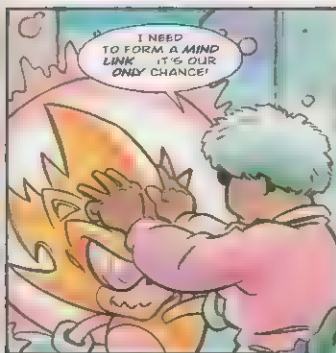
YOU'VE GOT TO, EBONY!

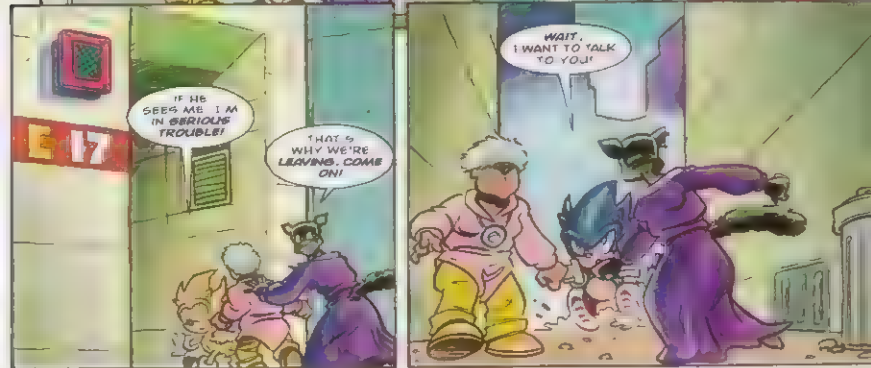
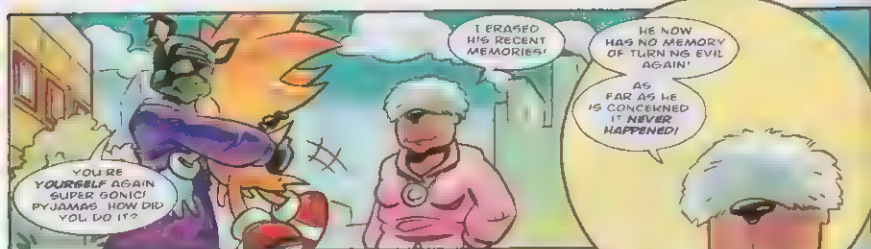
IF YOU RELEASE HIM WE'VE ALL HAD IT!

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I'M SORRY THE STRAIN IS TOO GREAT FOR ME... I CAN'T GO ON!

WAIT, EBONY. I HAVE AN IDEA! KEEP YOUR SPELL GOING JUST FOR A LITTLE LONGER!









FLIPPING  
MACHINES... NEVER  
CAN TRUST  
THEM!

THAT  
WAS A CLOSE  
CALL!



I DON'T  
GET IT! HOW COME  
HE COULDN'T FIND  
ME WHEN HE WAS  
SO CLOSE?

OH,  
IT'S PRETTY  
SIMPLE...



I JUST CAST  
A LITTLE SPELL  
OVER  
THAT METER OF HIS! I  
MADE IT TELL HIM  
JUST WHAT I WANTED  
IT TO!

STILL,  
I SOMETIMES  
THINK I SHOULD GIVE  
MYSELF UP... THE  
NEXT TIME I TURN  
EVIL, I MIGHT HURT  
SOMEONE!

THERE'S  
NOT GOING TO BE A  
NEXT TIME. BESIDES,  
EVEN IF THERE IS, YOU  
HAVE PYJAMAS AND  
ME TO TAKE CARE  
OF YOU!

HEY, THAT'S  
WHAT FRIENDS  
ARE FOR!

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